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STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
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June 15, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

SUBJECT: CLASSIFICATION OF RECENT MARRIAGE CASES.

The following telegram received from the office of the Provost Marshal General is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 13, 1918.

*Adjutant General,
Sacramento, California.*

Number B fourteen seventy-five. Please promulgate at once to Local Boards the following important amendments to the Selective Service Regulations:

Rule Five, Section Seventy-two, is amended to read as follows:

“Rule Five. The fact of dependency resulting from the marriage of registrant who has become twenty-one years of age since June 5, 1917, and who has married since the date of the introduction of the joint resolution in Congress requiring his registration, to-wit, January 15, 1918, will be disregarded as a ground for deferred classification. B. If a registrant who has attained the age of twenty-one since June 5, 1917, and who has contracted marriage subsequent to the date of the enactment of the Selective Service Law, to-wit, May 18, 1917, but on or prior to January 15, 1918, claims deferred classification on the ground of dependency resulting from his marriage, the fact of dependency resulting from his marriage will be disregarded as ground for deferred classification, unless the dependency is a child of the marriage, born or unborn on or prior to June 9, 1918, in which case such a registrant upon satisfactory proof being made shall be classified in Class Two. C. If a registrant, other than one who has attained the age of twenty-one years since June 5, 1917, who has contracted marriage since May 18,

1917, claims deferred classification on the ground of dependency resulting from his marriage, the fact of dependency resulting from his marriage will be disregarded as a ground for deferred classification, unless the dependent is a child of the marriage, born or unborn on or before June 9, 1918, in which case such a registrant upon satisfactory proof being made shall be placed in Class Two. D. Nothing contained in this amendment to Rule Five shall be construed as requiring the transfer to Class Two of any registrant who has been finally classified in Class One on the affirmative finding that his marriage since May 18, 1917, was made with the primary view of evading military service."

Instruct all Local Boards forthwith to classify all cases involving marriage since May 18, 1917, in accordance with the above.

CROWDER.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 323.

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO**

1-12

June 17, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

The following letter from the office of the Provost Marshal General is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

FROM: Office of the Provost Marshal General.

TO: Draft Executives in All States.

SUBJECT: MEAL TICKETS.

1. Numerous requests are being received from various Department Quartermasters through the Quartermaster

General for designations of Local Boards that issue certain meal tickets. To overcome this difficulty to a large extent, it is requested that you give directions to Local Boards to hereafter place their Local Board stamp at the bottom of the meal ticket, or if the blank space at the bottom of the meal ticket is not large enough for this stamp, it may be placed diagonally across the face of same. This should also be put on the triplicate copy before forwarding to the Department Quartermaster.

E. H. CROWDER,
Provost Marshal General.
By WINFIELD S PRICE,
Major, National Army, Chief Disbursing Officer.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 324.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO

1-12

June 17, 1918.

To all Local and District Boards:

The following letter from the office of the Provost Marshal General is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

FROM: Office of the Provost Marshal General.
To: Draft Executives in All States.

SUBJECT: FRAUDULENT COMMUNICATIONS.

1. Referring to our General Telegram No. B 1239 of June 1st, and as an example of fraudulent methods which are being resorted to, there is enclosed herewith a copy of

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a fraudulent form letter never authorized by the Navy Department. Some of the copies bear the signature "L. W. Overstreet" in typewriting; others bear no signature. Its evident purpose is to enable persons subject to draft to escape military service by presenting what purports to be an official determination of the fact that the holder of the letter is outside of the draft age. Such letters should not be accepted as evidence of age.

2. The Navy Department is endeavoring to discover the guilty party or parties and it is requested that you ascertain whether or not any such letters have been submitted to any boards in your State and instruct boards to take prompt measures to apprehend persons who present such letters and secure all possible proof in connection with the same.

3. At the same time it might be well to advise boards to be upon the alert to discover similar fraudulent practices. It is suggested that your communication of the foregoing be made to the Local and District Boards in the strictest confidential manner in order that the information may not be publicly disseminated.

E. H. CROWDER,
Provost Marshal General.

NAVY DEPARTMENT
BUREAU OF NAVIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

SIR: The Bureau acknowledges receipt of your offer to reenlist in the Navy and regrets that as you are over the maximum age limit your reenlistment at this time can not be authorized.

The Bureau wishes to thank you for the offer of your services.

Respectfully,

DIVISION OF ENLISTED PERSONNEL,
BUREAU OF NAVIGATION, NAVY
DEPARTMENT.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 325.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO

1-12

June 17, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

The following letter from the office of the Provost Marshal General is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

FROM: Office of the Provost Marshal General.

To: Draft Executives in All States.

SUBJECT: AMENDMENT TO SECTION 151, S. S. R.

1. Section 151, S. S. R., is hereby amended by the addition of the following:

“(h) Except in the following cases, no person registered or subject to registration under the Selective Service Act may enlist or be recruited in the military forces of co-belligerents of the United States:

(1) Upon presentation by a registrant to a recruiting officer of a co-belligerent of the United States, of a certificate of final classification of his Local Board (Form 1007, P. M. G. O.) showing that he has been placed in Class V (e) on the ground that he is an alien enemy or in Class V (f) on the ground that he is a resident alien who has not declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States, he may enlist in the military forces of a co-belligerent of the United States.

(2) Upon presentation by a registrant to a recruiting officer of a co-belligerent of the United States, of a certificate of his Local Board that he has been found by the Local Board not to be a citizen of the United States and not to have declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States, that he has expressly waived classification in Class V on the ground of alienage, and that the Local Board has placed him in Class II, III or IV, he may enlist in the Military forces of a co-belligerent of the United States; Form 1007, P. M. G. O., may not be used in this case, but the Local Board shall prepare a special certificate.

(3) Immediately upon the enlistment of a registrant under the exceptions above noted, the recruiting officer shall forward to the local board a certificate that the registrant has enlisted in the military service of the country which the recruiting officer represents. The local board shall, upon receipt of such certificate of the recruiting officer, place in Class (5f) any registrant who has enlisted under the provisions of the sub-paragraph immediately preceding.”

2. If Local Boards or State Headquarters learn that recruiting officers of foreign countries have enlisted registrants in violation of the above regulation, it is requested that they immediately forward to this office affidavits showing the fact and circumstances of the enlistment and citizenship and classification of the registrant, in order that steps may be taken to obtain his discharge from such military service and return to the place of enlistment.

E. H. CROWDER,
Provost Marshal General.

By C. A. HOPE,
Capt. National Army; Acting Chief
Administrative Division.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 326.

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO**

5-12 June 18, 1918.

To all Local and Medical Advisory Boards:

SUBJECT: NEW PHYSICAL EXAMINATION MANUAL.

Herewith Form 75 which is a new and complete manual for standards of physical examinations. This will be used by all

Medical Examining Officers of Local Boards, Medical Examining Boards and at the mobilization camps.

Please distribute these to your examining physicians. If you need additional copies order them immediately.

The Provost Marshal General instructs that **ALL OF YOUR FORMS 64 ARE TO BE IMMEDIATELY DESTROYED.**

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 327.

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO**

5-12

June 18, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

SUBJECT: TRANSPORTATION.

The attention of Local Boards is again called to the fact that men who are to be sent to camp on tourist sleepers must have transportation requests for excess fare.

The fare on regular day coaches is three cents a mile. When a man travels on a tourist sleeper, an additional charge of one quarter cent per mile is made for transportation. This is in addition to the regular charge for a tourist berth. Therefore, the Local Boards must furnish the man, 1st, with his regular ticket, 2d, with his ticket for a berth and, 3d, if the man purchases his berth at a place other than the point of entraining, the Local Board must give him a transportation request for the excess fare.

If you do not understand this system, call on the Local Railroad Agent and get him to show you the little red slip that he has to attach to the tickets for the excess fare and explain the system to you.

During the last week, since the excess fare regulations went into effect, this office has been called upon almost every day to issue additional transportation requests to men from Local Boards within this and adjacent states. In some cases as many as six or eight contingents have been held up at Sacramento for some hours because of lack of proper transportation requests.

While this office is always glad to help out men from contingents in this way, it should be unnecessary and it frequently causes the men inconvenience and delay en route.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 328.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO

1-12

June 18, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

The following letter from the office of the Provost Marshal General is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

FROM: Office of the Provost Marshal General.

To: Draft Executives in All States.

SUBJECT: TRANSPORTATION.

1. The following letter from the Quartermaster at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana, has been received in this

office through the Quartermaster General's Office, and is quoted for your information, and with the request that it be communicated to all Local Boards in your next bulletin:

“Considerable confusion has arisen recently due to the fact that enlisted men under orders to report at this station have been furnished by Local Draft Boards transportation reading to Indianapolis only. Inasmuch as Fort Benjamin Harrison is located eleven miles east of Indianapolis on the C.C.C. & St. L. Ry. and the Union Traction Company of Indiana, the above arrangement has resulted in a large number of men arriving at Indianapolis within the last few weeks without transportation between Indianapolis and Fort Benjamin Harrison.

It is suggested that in order to insure transportation being furnished to destination instructions be issued to the various local draft boards that all transportation requests covering travel to this station be issued through to Fort Benjamin Harrison showing C.C.C. & St. L. Ry. as the last carrier.”

E. H. CROWDER,
Provost Marshal General.

By WINFIELD S. PRICE,
Major, N. A., Chief Disbursing Officer.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 329.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO

1-12

June 18, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

SUBJECT: RECLASSIFICATION OF RECENT MARRIAGE CASES.

The following telegram received from the office of the Provost Marshal General is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17, 1918.

*Governor of California,
Sacramento, California.*

Number B fifteen thirty-eight. Our telegram No. fourteen seventy-five amending Rule 5, Section 72, S. S. R., provides that certain registrants married since May 18, 1917, shall be placed in Class 1 or 2. These registrants shall be designated on questionnaire and cover sheet as being in subdivision X, Class 1 or 2, as the case may be.

CROWDER.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 330.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO

1-12

June 18, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

SUBJECT: REGISTRATION CARDS.

Confirming telegram of even date. The following telegram received from the office of the Provost Marshal General is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

Number E fifteen seventy-five. Instruct all Local Boards at once by wire that no registration cards of the new registration received after June 18 will be assigned registration numbers at the present time and no lists of such registration cards received after date shall be prepared as required by Section 47 of Registration Regulations No. 2. Regulations to be issued in the future will specify the manner of assigning registration numbers to all such cards which, pending the issuance of such Regulations should be held by each Local Board. All registration cards received on or before June 18 shall immediately be assigned registration numbers as prescribed in Sections 43 and 44 of Registration Regulations No. 2 and lists shall be made and disposed of as prescribed in Section 47. It is imperative that all cards received on or before June 18 be immediately numbered and lists prepared as required by the Regulations. This office should be advised not later than June 20 that all such cards have been numbered and lists received in your office. Urge all Boards to promptly forward all such lists and if any lists of registration consummated on June 5 are lacking all such lists should be immediately forwarded as this class must be made available for call at the earliest possible moment. This is

urgent, therefore please acknowledge and give personal attention.

CROWDER.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 331.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO

1-12

June 18, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

SUBJECT: EMERGENCY FLEET LIST.

Confirming telegram of even date. The following telegram received from the office of the Provost Marshal General is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

Number B fifteen thirty-five. Communicate following to all Local Boards by wire:

"Section 154 check of Emergency Fleet Classification List prescribed in Paragraph C will be dispensed with for month of June. It is hoped by July 1st to perfect new plan and regulations covering Emergency Fleet Classification."

CROWDER.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 332.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO

1-12

June 22, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

SUBJECT: QUESTIONNAIRES FOR NEW REGISTRANTS.

Following telegram quoted for your information and compliance:

Number B sixteen hundred six. Beginning on June 25th and continuing for three days thereafter Questionnaires for second edition shall be sent each day to twenty-five per cent of the registrants of the class of June, 1918, in accordance with the provisions of Section 92 and the last paragraph of Section 99, as amended, Selective Service Regulations, except that in mailing Questionnaires Local Boards shall proceed according to the registration numbers of registrants and shall defer making any entries on the classification list until after the order numbers have been assigned in accordance with Regulations subsequently to be promulgated. The space for serial and order numbers on the Questionnaire shall be left blank, the order numbers to be filled in after they have been determined and the Questionnaires are returned. After these numbers have been determined, the name shall be entered upon the classification list in the order of their liability for service as will be prescribed in later Regulations, and the date of which the Questionnaire was mailed to each registrant shall then be entered in column five of the classification list. For this purpose a tentative list of the dates on which Questionnaires were mailed should be kept by each board. In preparing Form 1002 under Section 92, Selective Service Regulations, the word "Order" appearing in its title shall be changed to read "Registration" inasmuch as Questionnaires are sent to registrants before Order Numbers are assigned.

If more convenient you may issue all Questionnaires at once. Second edition Questionnaires in mail to you, use second edition only hereafter, return excess supply of first edition.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 333.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO

1-12

June 22, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

SUBJECT: NONPRODUCTIVE OCCUPATIONS.

The following telegram received from the office of the Provost Marshal General is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 21, 1918.

*Adjutant General,
Sacramento, California.*

Number B sixteen fourteen. Communicate to all Local Boards.

In the administration and enforcement of the amendments to Selective Service Regulations which become effective July 1, 1918, and which provides for the withdrawal of deferred classification and order number of registrants found to be idlers or engaged in nonproductive occupations or employments. You are instructed as follows:

1. Paragraph A of Section 121 K does not include managers, clerks, cooks, or other employees unless they are engaged in the serving of food and drink, or either.

2. The words "other attendants" in Paragraph B, of Section 121 K include bell boys, and also include porters, unless such porters are engaged in heavy work.

3. Paragraph C of Section 121 K includes, in addition to ushers and their attendants, all persons engaged and occupied in games, sports and amusements, except actual performers in legitimate concerts, operas or theatrical performances.

4. Paragraph D of Section 121 K does not include public or private chauffeurs, unless they are also engaged in other occupations or employments defined by these Regulations as nonproductive.

5. Paragraph E of Section 121 K does not include store executives, managers, superintendents, nor the heads of such departments as accounting, financial, advertising, credit, purchasing, delivery, receiving, shipping and their departments; does not include registered pharmacists employed in wholesale and retail drug stores or establishments; and does not include traveling salesmen, buyers, delivery drivers, electricians, engineers, carpet layers, upholsterers, nor any employees doing heavy work outside the usual duties of clerks.

6. The words "Sales Clerks and other Clerks" in Paragraph E of Section 121 K do include the clerical force in the office, and in all department stores and mercantile establishments.

7. The words "stores and other mercantile establishments" in Paragraph E of Section 121 K include both wholesale and retail stores and mercantile establishments engaged in selling goods and wares.

8. In addition to the cases where reasonable excuses may be accepted for temporary idleness or for being engaged in a nonproductive occupation or employment, Local and District Boards have authority under the Regulations to withhold or postpone action for a reasonable time in cases where it appears that the registrant, in good faith, is, or has been, seeking productive employment, and that such reasonable postponement will enable him to secure such employment.

9. Local Boards are instructed to cooperate with the State Directors of the United States Employment Service, or Local Agents of such service when advised of their

appointment and location, in order that this Agency of the Government may be enlisted to assist registrants engaged in nonproductive occupations or employments to obtain work of a productive character as soon as possible and with the least hardship or inconvenience. To this end Local Boards should furnish to such directors or agents the names and addresses of registrants to whom notice to appear has been given; should furnish such directors or agents with the names and addresses of registrants who may inquire for information in respect of a chance of employment and refer all registrants requesting such information to the directors or agents of the United States employment service.

CROWDER.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 334.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO

5-16

June 27, 1918.

*To all Local, Legal Advisory Boards
and Government Appeal Agents:*

SUBJECT: LEGAL AID TO NINETEEN EIGHTEEN REGISTRANTS.

Beginning June 25th and during the three successive days Questionnaires are being mailed to all registrants of June 5, 1918. These registrants are entitled and should receive the same legal aid as the registrants of June 5, 1917, received in filling out their Questionnaires.

This Office is, therefore, calling upon the various Boards, particularly the Members and Associate Members of the Legal Advisory Boards to again render such aid to the registrants.

The work of the various advisors during the latter part of 1917 and the early months of this year was so effectual and was so patriotically and efficiently rendered that this Office has no doubt that the 1918 registrants will receive equal aid in filling out their Questionnaires and in receiving proper advice.

As the Members of all Boards and the Associate Members of the Legal Advisory Boards are now familiar with their duties this Office is issuing no specific and detail instructions regarding such duties at this time as it is believed that such are unnecessary.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 335.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO

5-16

June 27, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

The following letter received from the Provost Marshal General is quoted for the information and guidance of all concerned:

FROM: Office of the Provost Marshal General.

TO: Draft Executives in All States.

SUBJECT: CHANGE IN MANNER OF HANDLING INDIVIDUAL
INDUCTIONS.

1. Effective July 1, 1918, competent orders (frequently termed "individual induction orders") *will be issued by the Provost Marshal General only. No other person is vested with authority to issue these orders, and Local*

Boards will ignore all orders or requests for the individual induction of registrants which are signed by any other person and which are presented to them subsequent to June 30. The following procedure will govern individual induction under competent orders so far as the Selective Service machinery is concerned.

2. Competent orders (original and duplicate Form No. 2007) will be forwarded by the Provost Marshal General to the Local Board direct. Upon the receipt of these orders the Local Board will summon before it the registrant named in the orders and offer him voluntary induction thereunder. The registrant must, within twenty-four hours, indicate his acceptance or rejection of the offer by signing the statement at the bottom of Form 2007. If the offer is declined, both copies of Form 2007 will be filed with the Questionnaire of the registrant and this office notified of the rejection of the offer on Form 2008 (the post card form accompanying the competent orders).

3. Upon acceptance by a registrant of voluntary induction under a competent order the Local Board will proceed to induct him in the usual manner by entering in column 24 of its classification list the date and hour on which he is to report to the Board for military duty and entrainment (which date shall not be later than seven days after the date of his acceptance) and mailing to him Form 1028, the order to report for military duty. Upon reporting for military duty the Local Board will deliver the following papers to the registrant, instructing him to deliver them to the military authorities immediately upon his arrival at his destination: One Form 1 (certified copy of original registration card of registrant), one Form 1029 A and B, one copy of Form 1010, *and the duplicate copy of Form 2007.* The following papers will be sent by registered mail to the Adjutant of the military camp or station to which the registrant is sent: Form 1029 (original and duplicate), and one copy of Form 1010. The original copy of Form 2007 will be filed by the Local Board with the Questionnaire of the registrant.

4. Local Boards must induct registrants under competent orders unless at the time of the receipt of the orders the Local Board has either entered in column 24

of its classification list the date and hour on which he is to report for military duty and entrainment or mailed to him Form 1028, the order to report for military duty. If, however, either of these steps have been taken by the Board, the competent orders should not be honored. Slackers (persons who have failed to register), delinquents and deserters must not be inducted under competent orders. If for any reason induction is refused by the Local Board the reason for such refusal will be clearly indicated on Form 2008. Once a registrant has signed his acceptance on the competent order the Local Board must complete the induction even though the registrant subsequently changes his mind and attempts to withdraw his acceptance.

5. A registrant must not be inducted under a competent order unless he possesses the exact physical requirements specified in the order. For instance, if the order states that the registrant shall be inducted only in case he is found physically qualified for special or limited service only, the registrant may not be inducted if he is found physically qualified for general military service, or remedially defective, or physically disqualified for military service.

6. Registrants in a deferred classification must file with their Local Board a waiver of such classification. If the registrant is in Class IV on the ground of dependency, a waiver must also be filed by the person or persons in whose interest he was thus classified in Class IV.

7. Transferred cases will be handled as follows: Local Board of transfer at the expense of the registrant will request Local Board of origin to prepare the necessary induction papers as prescribed in Section 148 of the Selective Service Regulations (as amended by C.S.S.R. No. 1, January 21, 1918), and advise the Board of transfer as to the status of the registrant in respect to dependency. If the registrant is not a slacker, a delinquent, or a deserter, and has not been previously ordered to report for military duty, the Board of origin will prepare the necessary papers and forward them at once to the Board of transfer. Upon receipt of the papers the Board of transfer will add the name of the place of actual induction at the bottom of the space for the stamp of the Local

Board on all papers and will induct the registrant into service. It will add to the induction papers which accompany the registrant the duplicate copy of Form 2007. The Local Board of transfer will also execute and mail Form 2008. In transferred cases Local Boards of transfer will accept necessary waivers in cases of dependency but will transmit them to Board of origin. Local Board of transfer will transmit original of Form 2007 to the Local Board of origin immediately upon completing the induction.

8. Local Boards will report individual inductions to State Headquarters as at present. State Headquarters will discontinue the present practice of including these inductions in their daily telegraphic reports of inductions to this office. State Headquarters will, of course, include in their telegraphic reports in July individual inductions made by Local Boards up to and including June 30th. They will not include in their telegraphic reports individual inductions made by Local Boards on July first and thereafter.

9. A sufficient number of copies of this letter and sample forms 2007 and 2008 are being forwarded to your headquarters under separate cover to enable you to distribute three to each Local Board within your jurisdiction.

CROWDER.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 336.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO

1-12

June 29, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

SUBJECT: INCOME OF DEPENDENTS.

The following telegram received from the office of the Provost Marshal General is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 26, 1918.

*Adjutant General,
Sacramento, California.*

Number B seventeen hundred eleven. Instruct Local and District Boards that in considering claims for deferred Classification on dependency grounds they will disregard income provided by the State or Municipalities for the maintenance of dependents while the registrant upon whose labors these persons are dependent for support are in the military service of the United States.

CROWDER.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 337.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO

1-12

June 29, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

SUBJECT: STREET CAR TICKETS FOR DRAFT BOARDS.

The following letter quoted for the information and guidance of all concerned:

1. Reference your letter May 18, 1918, authority has been obtained from the Quartermaster General to furnish street car transportation to Local Boards when such transportation is necessary in forwarding drafted men to railroad stations. Tickets have already been furnished to various Local Draft Boards upon their request for same.

2. In connection with the furnishing of street car tickets to Draft Boards in the city of Oakland, it is suggested that when required requests be referred to the Recruiting Officer of that city. By authority of Depot Quartermaster.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 338.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO

5-12

July 1, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

SUBJECT: BADGES FOR CONTINGENTS.

There are now being shipped to all Local Boards badges to be worn, in accordance with Section 164, Selective Service Regulations, by the men called for service when entraining.

These badges are shield shape with a space for the Local Board to put their stamp. It is recommended that the badge be pinned to the left sleeve and worn by the men as a chevron. This can be accomplished very nicely by pinning through the badge and the sleeve at the sides of the badge. One pin on each side will be sufficient.

Pins have been ordered by this office and will be supplied to Local Boards as soon as received.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORRÉE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 339.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
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SACRAMENTO

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July 1, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

SUBJECT: EMERGENCY FLEET LIST.

1. Until directed to the contrary, all Local Boards should retain on their Emergency Fleet List the names of the men heretofore listed to them.

2. There is now being arranged a system whereby a complete check of all registrants working with the Emergency Fleet Corporation will be checked up and, in order that no injustice may be done and no inconvenience come to the Emergency Fleet Corporation, all Local Boards are requested to refrain from sending men who are actually employed in the Emergency Fleet Work whether properly listed or not, so long as notice is received that such registrant is so employed.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 340.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO

1-12

July 1, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

SUBJECT: DELINQUENTS.

The following telegram from the office of the Provost Marshal General is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 29, 1918.

*Adjutant General,
Sacramento, California.*

Number B seventeen eighty-seven. The mailing of Questionnaires to registrants Class, June, 1918, is now in progress. Before any registrant of this class is reported as delinquent, the necessary procedure by Local Boards and State Adjutant General as to delinquency of the Class, June, 1917, must be completed. Unless an immediate and thorough clean up is made unnecessary confusion will inevitably result. I can not over emphasize the necessity of the immediate completion of this procedure as outlined in Paragraphs 131 to 138 inclusive, Selective Service Regulations, with reference to those registrants of Class on June, 1917, who have failed to file a Questionnaire or failed to appear for physical examination. The last Questionnaires have been mailed this class of registrants months ago and if instructions from this office have been followed physical examinations of Class 1 men have been long completed. If the proper procedure has been followed all registrants of class on June, 1917, who have failed to comply with the requirements of the Regulations have been reported to the State Adjutants General and proper action has been taken at State Headquarters which has brought such delinquents into the service or into the status of deserters. Reports reaching this office indicate that many Local Boards and some State Adjutants

General at this late date are still tardy in this respect in spite of my telegram B twenty-four of March 6th and my General Letter to all Governors of May 11th.

“1. Direct all Local Boards in your State to report to you by return mail on Form 1013 all registrants of Class June, 1917, and who have not previously been reported who have failed to file Questionnaires or who have failed to appear for physical examination.

2. Direct the Boards to advise you definitely in the same mail that they have or have not already completed 1013 reports of this class of registrants.

3. Follow up your instructions to Local Boards personally each day until you have received a report of this character from each Local Board in your State.”

If there are any remaining delinquents so reported by Local Boards to whom 1014 and succeeding Induction Orders have not as yet been issued complete this procedure at once. Advise this office not later than July 10th the number of Local Boards in your State who have filed complete report on Form 1013, who have not as yet made complete report and number of Local Boards, if any, from whom you have been unable to get replies. Also advise if Form 1014 has been mailed by your Office to all such delinquents who have been reported to you on Form 1013 and if not when this procedure will be accomplished.
Urgent.

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BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.

Circular Letter No. 341.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SACRAMENTO

1-12

July 1, 1918.

To all Local Boards:

SUBJECT: DEPENDENTS.

The following telegram from the office of the Provost Marshal General is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 26, 1918.

*Adjutant General,
Sacramento, California.*

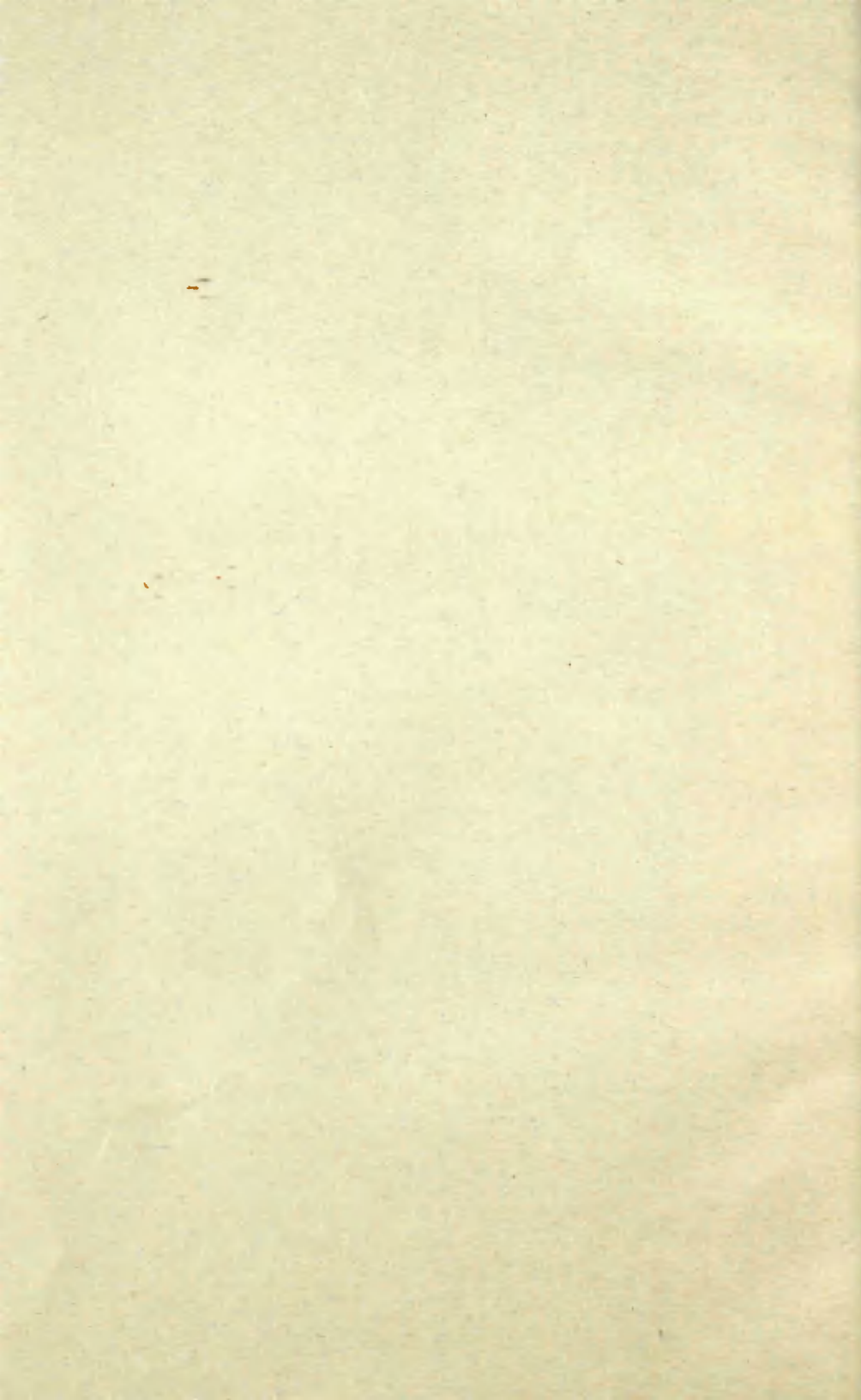
Number B seventeen thirty-nine. It is reported to this office that in the reclassification of registrants now in progress, some Local Boards are basing the dependency status of registrants on a finding of whether or not the parents or relatives of the registrant or his dependents are willing or able to provide for the dependents while the registrant is in the military service. Please call attention of all Boards to Paragraph F, Section 72, Selective Service Regulations, which clearly means that the ability or willingness of parents or parents in law of a registrant to provide for his dependents must not be considered. Please further instruct all Boards that this rule must be adhered to.

CROWDER.

BY DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNOR.

J. J. BORREE,
Brigadier General, N. G. C.,
The Adjutant General.











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